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To Recognize Michele Thornton as the 2018 Trailblazer Honored by the Central Ohio Chapter of the National Coalition of 100 Black Women.

WHEREAS, Michele Thornton serves as Senior Vice President of BET Her, a lifestyle network targeted at African-American females formerly known as Centric TV; and

WHEREAS, As a leader in her field, Michele helped rebrand Centric TV as “The First Network Designed for Black Women”; and

WHEREAS, not only has she worked for media networks including CNN and A&E, Michele also authored two books: *Stratechic: Life and Career Wining Strategies for Women* and *Stratechic 2.0: Her Plan, Her Power, Her Purpose*; and

WHEREAS, Because of her perseverance and dedication, Michele Thornton serves a role model for African-American girls and women across Columbus, making her an ideal honoree for the 2018 Trailblazer Award; now, therefore

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF COLUMBUS:

That this Council does hereby recognize Michele Thornton as the 2018 Trailblazer honored by the central Ohio chapter of the National Coalition of 100 Black Women on May 17, 2018.